

House File 266 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION

(SUCCESSOR TO HSB 93)

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act regarding disposal of yard waste in landfills operating
- 2 a methane collection system.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 455D.9, subsection 1, Code 2015, is
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. *d.* When the yard waste is collected for
4 disposal by a sanitary landfill that operates a methane
5 collection system that produces energy.

6 EXPLANATION

7 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
8 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

9 Currently, disposal of yard waste in a sanitary landfill is
10 prohibited except in three specific circumstances. This bill
11 adds a fourth exception to allow for the disposal of yard waste
12 in a sanitary landfill when the sanitary landfill operates a
13 methane collection system that produces energy.